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FOR SALE—Shoats John Berke-witz, Tel. 147-33. Irasburg. 2

FOR SALE—Four pure-bred Jersey bulls. H. C. Cleveland, Coventry. 51-51b

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FOR SALE—One nice five-year-old bay driver, sound and safe, sired by "The Wooster" out of a Morgan mare. Price right for quick sale. Inquire, Thomas Hughes, Orleans. 2-3

FOR SALE—Five two-year-old heifers to calve in spring. Two new milch cows, one brood mare, half Morgan, half Clydesdale, weight 1100, coming six years, all young, sound. L. K. Heath, Orleans, Vt. 1-3

FOR SALE—Nine-room house, barn, henhouse and carriage house (1-2 acres of highly cultivated land) located at Greensboro Bend, Vt., 1.2 mile from R. R. station, 1.3 mile from church and school. Good running water at house and barn. Apply to F. A. Amsden, Greensboro Bend, Vt. 30tf

TO RENT—Tenement. H. T. Seaver, Barton. 50-1f

TO RENT—In Barton village, two story house and barn, one acre land, hot and cold water, bath room, electric lights, telephone. F. W. Baldwin. 2-4

MISCELLANEOUS
The best advertising in the world for the money is found in this classified column. Try it.

SHOE REPAIRING—Shoe shining; sharpening razors, shears and knives of all kinds, will be attended to at my barber shop in the Cassidy block, Barton. B. Bedard. 1tf

Bring on your sleighs, wagons and automobiles for painting at the Sargent Paint Shop. Everything is ready and can do you a first class job. C. A. Sargent, Orleans. 45tf.

WANTED
Wanted—Live poultry. Erick, Barton. 18tf

FARMER'S NOTICE—Will buy stock Jan. 17 and 31. I am still contracting sugar at 10 cents. It is up to you. Dodge, Orleans. 2tf

WANTED—To buy bill of dimension lumber, delivered into "Hanson" mill, Barton. Call upon F. W. Baldwin. 2-4

LOST
LOST—Sunday in Sheffield two fox hounds, male black, white and tan; female, black and tan; both had collars bearing owner's name. Finder notify George Jennings, Barton. 1w

Notice
The town officers of the town of Barton will meet at the town clerk's office in said Barton on Thursday, Jan. 20, 1916, to settle all claims against the town. The civil board will meet Saturday, Jan. 22, and the auditors will meet on Monday, Jan. 24. Bring in your account on Thursday if you wish it allowed in this year's business.
E. R. Cook,
F. L. Hall,
H. A. Cleveland.
Selectmen of the town of Barton. 2-3

Congregational Church Notes.
The Ladies' society will meet this afternoon in the church parlors. All ladies are cordially invited. Supper will be served at 6 o'clock, to which the public is invited.
The Missionary society will hold its meeting in the church parlors Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Methodist Episcopal Church Notes.
Rev. I. A. Ranney preached an excellent sermon Sunday morning to the teachers and officers of the Sunday school. The regular service was followed by installation of the officers and teachers.
Miss Ruth Freeman entertained her Sunday school class one evening last week.

Grange Affairs.
Regular meeting of Crystal Lake grange Friday evening, Jan. 21. Question to be discussed, Road Tax Law. Light refreshments will be served, five cents per plate. At the meeting held Jan. 7, Deputy A. P. Bean of Glover installed the following officers: Master, Fred May; overseer, Will May; lecturer, Mrs. R. F. Mason; steward, B. J. Jenness; assistant steward, R. F. Mason; chaplain, Miss Sophia Drew; treasurer, Mrs. F. H. Foster; secretary, Mrs. F. W. Comstock; gatekeeper, George Goodro; Ceres, Mrs. G. L. Merriam; Pomona, Mrs. George Goodro; Flora, Mrs. Merton Wilson; lady assistant steward, Mrs. H. E. Paige; pianist, Mrs. Bert Adams; assistant pianist, Mrs. Will May; reporter, Mrs. Merton Wilson. An oyster supper was served after the meeting.

Local Number of the Lecture Course.

The number of the lecture course to be given by the members of the school is scheduled for Tuesday evening, next, at Seaver's hall. The idea of an entertainment in the course by home talent has been talked for several years but until now the plan has never materialized. Much labor has been put into this number by members of the high school and faculty and the public is assured of an entertainment worthy of its patronage. Remember that the pink ticket issued with the regular course ticket of the other entertainments admits to this entertainment and please be prompt at eight o'clock. Single admission tickets at Pierce's or the box office that evening.

The program follows:

1. The Beautiful Ship from Toyland, *Friml*
2. A School Picnic, *Girls' Glee Club*
3. Minuet, *Nell Gardner*
4. Mildred Curtis, Doris White, Clarence Willey, Henry Outler
5. Stela Song, *Boys' Glee Club*
6. The Rosary, *Girls' Glee Club*
7. On Being Shy, *Leo Emerson*
8. Cavatina, *Mildred Curtis*
9. Just Smile, *Boys' Glee Club*
10. A Christmas Memory, *Nellie Cooke*
11. Walter's Prize Song, *Mildred Curtis, Doris White, Clarence Willey, Henry Outler*
12. Hezekiah's Art, *Leslie Elliott*
13. The Owl and the Pussy Cat, *Boys' Glee Club*
14. Francesca Meets the Reverend Romaine, *Vera Carpenter*
15. A Transcription in Mumps, *Flora Emerson*
16. The Sextette from "Lucia," *Mildred Curtis, Doris White, Clarence Willey, Henry Outler*
17. Holy Night, *Ruby Galkins*
18. Kentucky Babe, *Girls' Glee Club*

BARTON

John Millar is improving slowly.
Miss Lillian Hitchcock has rheumatic fever.

H. P. Baldwin is in Keene, N. H., this week.

E. R. Cook has been seriously ill the past week.

Harry Fisk has been quite ill, but is improving.

Dean McLellan was in Boston the last of the week.

Miss Fanny May returned from Boston Monday.

C. J. Croft of Barre spent Sunday at G. C. Lang's.

Miss Mildred Lang spent Sunday at Lyman Mason's.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dille's baby has been very ill.

C. B. Webster is away on a business and pleasure trip.

Miss Lettie Kimball has been quite ill the past week.

Mrs. W. W. Reiden was in St. Johnsbury Monday.

Mrs. W. B. Proctor has been visiting relatives in Newport.

Mrs. Waldo Mossman, who has been ill, is improving.

Miss Julia Durkin of Albany is visiting at the Buckley home.

Mrs. George Valley is quite ill at her home on High street.

Mrs. Clarence Hanson, who has been ill with the grip, is better.

Mrs. W. A. Scott is visiting her parents in Newport Center.

Mrs. Nancy Merrill died at her home on the River road yesterday.

Harlan Nye of Derby spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Abbie Nye.

Mrs. C. H. Jones and Miss Carrie Jones have returned to their home.

The Rev. F. R. Oldridge of Sheffield was the guest of friends in town last week.

Miss Gladys Chandler of Orleans visited at Mrs. Laura McFarlane's over Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Lowery has rented Harry Bigelow's house and will take boarders.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerme Marston of Orleans were guests at F. W. Baldwin's Wednesday.

Fred Jarvis, who underwent a surgical operation recently, is able to be out again.

O. Dwyer is in St. Johnsbury hospital instead of Brightlook as reported last week.

L. C. Batchelder left Sunday night for Boston, where he expects to remain for a time.

A son, Bradley, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Raymond Winslow of Milton, Saturday, Jan. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hamblet of Philadelphia were guests at C. E. Hamblet's Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Mosher of Sherbrooke were visitors at M. E. Willie's over Sunday.

Mrs. G. A. Katen went Tuesday to Harnell, N. Y., to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Patterson.

Miss Marion Baldwin, who spent the holidays with relatives in Littleton, N. H., has returned home.

Mrs. G. T. Phillips of Westfield, Mass., was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Brown.

John Keating, Sr., has gone to West Lebanon, N. H., to remain with his son, John, Jr., for the winter.

A SHORT HISTORY OF THE M. E. CHURCH IN BARTON.

The following history of the M. E. church of Barton was given by Rev. A. B. Blake at the annual meeting and roll call held on New Year's day.

In Miss Abby Maria Hemenway's Historical Gazetteer, published in 1877, we find a little history of the Methodist Episcopal church in Barton. She informs us that the first meeting in town of a religious nature was held by the Methodists in the year 1803 or 1804, appointed by Phineas Peck, a Methodist preacher in Asa Kimball's house, and that the Methodists formed a church here in 1807 or 1808. William Gould, John Gould, Abraham Whitaker, Royal Cross, David Hamlet, David Abbott, William Gould, Jr., and Nathan Gould were among the first members. James Gould and some others of Glover were members of this church. They held their meetings in a log schoolhouse north of where William Lang then lived, (a little west of the fairgrounds). Their quarterly meetings were held in William Gould's barn. Little is known of the Methodists from the organization of the church in 1807 until the year 1812. It is supposed that the war of 1812 must have unsettled matters to such an extent as to have caused a suspension of religious services for some years, as no record of meetings being held during these years remains. In 1828 the Methodists appear to have been flourishing as it would appear that for years services of some religious character had been in progress. So thorough was their organization that from 1828 until the present date every year a record has been kept, giving the names of the Methodist preachers stationed here, and facts of importance every now and then have been recorded. At that time some kind of a reorganization, or some important change was made by Revs. Hezekiah Ramsdell and William Peck. Services were held in the schoolhouse and the circuit comprised Barton, Orleans, then Barton Landing, Brownington, Irasburg, Glover and West Glover.

Quoting Rev. Knox: Following these in 1829 were Messrs Stephen H. Cutler and James Campbell. In 1830 Elisha Scott, Horace A. Merriam and John Smith served as circuit preachers here. In 1831, John Nelson, George F. Crosby and Ira Sweetland; 1832, George W. Fairbanks, O. E. Cass and I. A. Sweetland; 1833, M. G. Cass and G. W. Noyes; 1834, N. W. Aspinwall and J. Dow. During their pastorate the brick church was built. In 1835 N. W. Aspinwall was assisted by E. C. Lang's.

Mrs. Esther Titus has closed the home bakery until Jan. 26, and is visiting her father in Pembroke, Ont.

Mrs. Minnie Pearson was the guest of Mrs. H. R. Cutler Thursday and spoke before the Afternoon Study club.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Paterson at Harnell, N. Y., Saturday, Jan. 15. Congratulations.

The Neighborhood club has sent a box to the Kurn Blatin Home consisting of face cloths, dishcloths, holders and dusters.

W. P. Bumps has moved from the Williamson house on Park street into E. E. Flanders's tenement house on Main street.

There will be a regular meeting of Orleans Lodge No. 55 on Friday evening. Work will be exemplified in the third degree.

Turn to page six and see what the Peerless sale offers the ladies of this part of Vermont. An unusually large sale is expected.

Mrs. Daisy Baldwin has finished caring for Mrs. C. P. Jenness, and Mrs. Jenness has gone to Miss Harriet Austin's for a time.

The following letters remain uncalled for at the postoffice. Please see advertised when calling for these letters. O. E. Lang, E. D. Currier.

The Winter Sports club will have their evening tramp tomorrow night instead of tonight. There will be a Sunday afternoon tramp leaving the May resort at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Agnes Cook of Niagara Falls, N. Y., who has been visiting her brother, Allan S. Gilmour, and other relatives and friends in this vicinity, the past month, returned Friday night to her home.

Anna C. M. Tillinghast, said to be the greatest woman orator in America, will speak in Seaver's opera house Thursday evening, Feb. 3. Her subject and further particulars will be given in these columns next week.

W. E. Turner, general manager of the Peerless Manufacturing company of New York City, visited Local Manager Underwood of the Peerless factory last week. Mr. Underwood says Mr. Turner gave him more encouragement as to the outlook for business than he has had in a number of years.

H. A. Harding, who was in Worcester, Mass., last week, has returned, bringing the horse, "Bavian," for training. Mr. Harding is jumping from a car in Woodsville, slipped on the ice and fell, striking his head. The blow rendered him unconscious and he suffered severe injuries about the face and knees.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Packard of Stoneham, Mass., were the guests of their aunts, Misses A. J. and H. H. Cutler, last week. As a member of Company H, local militia, he was favorably mentioned in the notices of the four-act war drama, "Santiago," recently presented by that company at Armory hall. He expects to be one of the 100,000 men to rendezvous at Chicago next summer with his company.

MacGuire on Africa.

Rev. Gabriel MacGuire, pastor of the Ruggles Street Baptist church of Boston, one of the largest churches in New England and one time missionary to Africa, gave a most dramatic lecture on his travels up the Congo river into the very heart of darkest Africa and his stay among the cannibal tribes there.

In a large degree Dr. MacGuire's lecture was very similar to the one given two years ago, yet many declare to have enjoyed this appearance of Dr. MacGuire more than the other. His very realistic description of native customs and habits and his display of native weapons, gods, articles of clothing, and the skins of immense snakes, and the story of his several narrow escapes from the wild animals of Africa go to make up a tale of interest. After the lecture Mr. MacGuire was a guest of the Barton Improvement club at their rooms until the night train for Boston and entertained the men with stories of his travels.

\$5,000,000 in Gold Passes through Here.

The early morning train from Boston this morning carried an express consignment of \$5,000,000 in gold and at Newport it was transferred to the Dominion Express company, for Ottawa. The shipment weighed 18,000 pounds and was shipped in 25 trunks, in a special steel car, guarded by twelve armed men, one riding in the cab of the locomotive, having come from Cape Town South Africa, on a freight boat, arriving in Boston yesterday. Boston papers yesterday told of the arrival of the cargo, and spoke of it as the most valuable cargo ever floated in the city. Nothing was known of its destination by the Boston paper yesterday, but the Monitor's Newport correspondent learned of its arrival in Newport this morning. The shipment has been under armed guard continually.

A small audience greeted the band concert last evening at Seaver's hall but everyone who was there speaks in the highest terms of the music given. The band is greatly enjoyed during the summer when it is giving us free Saturday night concerts but the moment the organization asks the support of the public at a winter concert even at a ten-cent admission there appears to be a falling-off in ardor even though the band boys put in long winter evenings of hard drilling. What's the answer?

Flavilla, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Safford Gilfillan, died suddenly Monday, Jan. 10. The funeral was held Wednesday at the residence of Frank Gilfillan, Rev. W. Warner officiating.

Card—We, the undersigned, wish to express our thanks to the friends, who so kindly assisted us in the burial of our little one, especially to the school for the beautiful flowers. May Heaven's richest blessing come to all in time of trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Safford Gilfillan, Frank Gilfillan and family.

There was a very large attendance at the meeting of the Afternoon Study club, which was held with Mrs. H. W. Carter Thursday. The program was on "Christian Citizenship," arranged by Mrs. H. R. Cutler. The meeting opened with Scripture reading, Prov. 14, 34, followed by singing of America by the members. An excellent paper was prepared and read by Mrs. Alice Hamblet on "Are State Laws a Protection to Morals?" A very interesting and profitable talk on "Training the Young for Citizenship," was given by Mrs. M. L. Pearson of Orleans. Round table talk was given by Mrs. Nell Barron and Mrs. Jennie Baldwin on "Duties of Officials in enforcing Law." The meeting closed by singing the W. C. T. U. National hymn. All present enjoyed the selections played on the Victrola by the hostess. The club reception, which was to have been Jan. 28, is postponed until Feb. 4.

WILLOUGHBY

Romanzo Drown is ill.

Eldon Leclair is working in East Haven.

Arthur Dodge is working at A. B. Stanley's.

Burleigh Kimball has gone to Greensboro to work.

W. T. Brooks and family have all been having the grip.

Several teams are drawing in pulpwood to be loaded here.

Mrs. George Demick and twin sons have been sick with grip.

There is a new son at B. C. Kimball's, born Jan. 12. Congratulations.

Florence Drown and Margaret Kimball are the Stanley and Dodge boys are able to attend school again.

Levi Wells has finished boarding at A. B. Stanley's and is boarding at George Nutting's in Westmore.

BROWNINGTON

Stanley Marsh has the grip.

Mrs. Walter Regan is quite sick.

F. E. Newton was in Burlington last week.

Mrs. Ernest Going from Charleston visited her father recently.

Bernice March was at home a few days last week sick with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor from Boston were at E. S. Kelley's the last of the week.

Neal Morgan from Passumpsic visited Will Wiggins a few days last week.

Remember the special grange meeting Thursday night to install the officers. The state master will be present and an oyster supper will be served.

TURNBULL'S ADDRESS TO DAIRYMEN.

J. G. Turnbull of Orleans, president of the Vermont Dairymen's Association last year, addressed the members of that organization at their annual meeting in Burlington last week.

Mr. Turnbull's address was in part as follows:

Conditions are changing fast in dairying as in every thing else. At the present time not only are the prices of milk and butter getting higher, but the prices of farms are even higher accordingly than the produce which is sold from them. What does this mean? It means that the farmers have got to practice more intensive farming, as in the case of the cow, when you could buy a good cow for \$25 or \$30 you did not get, neither did you need to get, as much out of her as you must get at the present time out of one that costs three or four times as much. So with the high-priced farms of today more intensive farming must be practiced. A young man cannot buy a farm today at the price he will be obliged to pay and make success unless he brings it up to the highest state of efficiency. I hope I won't be accused of taking sides in this awful war when I say that the secret of the German success in their farms up to a high state of cultivation. I might add that our German farmers have qualifications that any young man who wishes to succeed in farming would do well to emulate, i. e. thrift and close attention to business. There is one thing that is deplorable in the sanitary condition of our milk and cream. All must admit that there is need for improvement along these lines. The hand separator is one of the best helps to the farmer.

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BROWNINGTON CENTER

Philo Powers was home from Montgomery over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Lund spent Sunday at L. A. Lund's at Orleans.

Guy Litchfield of Brownington was a visitor at T. G. Crandall's Sunday.

Miss Mae Emerson, who has been working at Barton, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wright spent Sunday at Elwin Wright's at Evansville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Blake of Bennington were guests at W. P. Smith's Sunday.

Mrs. Odele Blouin has finished work for Elmer Norrie and Mrs. Lena Kettle has taken her place.

The donation for the benefit of Rev. Robinson was a success. The entertainment given by "Ye olde people" very amusing and enjoyed by everyone present.

EVANSVILLE

The Willoughby River Camp, No. 12,911, Modern Woodmen of America, held an open installation of officers, to which the Woodmen and their families were invited. J. E. Lyon of the Orleans camp acted as installing officer. Erwin Brown and Hale Mason of the same camp, acted as installing officers. They installed the following officers: Consul, F. L. Lapierre; clerk, R. A. Hill; banker, B. J. Dunham; adviser, D. C. Switzer; escort, Will Labor; trustee, E. A. Grow; watchman, J. E. Waterman; sentry, F. H. Houston. After the installation Mr. Lyon and Mr. Porter gave short talks and there was music and a comic song by Mr. and Mrs. Jimeney, all of which was excellent. A banquet was served after which Mr. and Mrs. Jimeney furnished music for dancing and the Willoughby River camp wishes to thank the installing officers and those who furnished the music and Mr. Porter who cooked the oysters, for the courtesy which they extended toward our camp.

COVENTRY

Mrs. Robert Tice is not as well.

E. P. Hurt is in very poor health.

Mrs. H. H. Hancock has been ill the past few days.

Miss A. E. Foster has returned to Newport Center.

The M. E. church donation and chicken pie supper is tonight.

Little Lyle Dean, who has been ill, is able to return to school.

Miss Mabel Ware has returned from her trip to Massachusetts.

W. B. Freer and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Freer have returned to their home in Richmond.

W. C. Place, who was ill last week with a rheumatic trouble, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Charles Stanhope has finished work at Delbert Fox's and has gone to North Troy.

Miss Kate Stevens of Orleans spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eben Stevens.

Eben Stevens, Jr., has gone to West Tewksbury, Mass., to work and is moving his family there.

Louis Rowell passed a successful operation for appendicitis at Brightlook hospital, St. Johnsbury.

Carroll Brooks passed a successful operation for appendicitis at the Mary Fletcher hospital in Burlington.

Mrs. W. S. Chamberlin, who has been visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. E. Taylor, has returned to her home in Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Guild, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Parker of Orleans, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dow and Mrs. Alice Dow of Newport were in town to attend the roll call.

The annual roll call of the Congregational church was held Wednesday of

Mrs. E. F. Hobson.

"A woman that feareth the Lord, she shall be praised." (Prov. 31:30) Such a woman, in whose praise too much cannot be said or written, was Mrs. Nellie Gertrude Hobson, who Sunday morning at 9:30 in the hospital at St. Johnsbury, passed to her heavenly home. The remains were brought back to her late home in Newport Monday morning, and on Tuesday afternoon the last rites of the church were said, and the body was entombed in the cemetery at West Derby to be interred in the spring beside the bodies of three small children in the cemetery at Island Pond, to await the resurrection morning. A large company of relatives and friends were present at the funeral services and three dozen beautiful floral tributes from various societies to which the deceased was connected and from personal friends and kindred, adorned the casket and stands. The Rev. L. A. Ranney, Methodist minister from Barton, read two brief scripture lessons and the Rev. W. S. Smithers, minister from Orleans, offered prayer. Mrs. J. Wilson sang a beautiful solo, after which the pastor of the Methodist church of Newport, Rev. C. W. Kelley, made a short address. Nellie Gertrude Lang was born in East Charleston June 17, 1850 and was united in marriage to Eugene Faber Hobson in 1881. As a result of this marriage, five children were born to them, two dying in infancy, one at the age of five years, and two are now living, Mrs. Beatrice H. Cooling of Baltimore, Md., and Miss Elsie Lucile, who resides at home. For a time Mr. and Mrs. Hobson lived in Island Pond, later going to Chicago, where they remained three years, returning again to Island Pond. They also lived for a few years in Barton and a year ago last fall moved to Newport where Mr. Hobson entered the employ of True & Blanchard, hardware dealers. Mrs. Hobson was a devoted wife and mother and she will be greatly missed in the home, where her place will be empty. She was also a devoted Christian and faithful member of the Methodist Episcopal church, enlisting in the missionary and temperance societies, and as far as her strength permitted doing very efficient work in these organizations. She was teacher of a large organized class of women known as the "Tuckabache Class" and through this class a great deal of charity work has been done. Mrs. Hobson was also a member of the Rebekahs and at one time of the Eastern Star. Her entire life was one of service. She believed that the good Lord had saved her to serve others, and although not always a well woman, it could be said of her at all times, "she hath done what she could." She was seriously ill only a few weeks when the end came, and her death has cast a shadow not only over the homes of her dear ones, but over the communities where she formerly resided and where she will be pleasantly remembered for what she was and for what she has done. George C. Lang of Barton, is a brother and Mrs. A. R. Campbell of Morrisville is a sister of the deceased, and to them and to the husband and two daughters we extend the sympathy of their many friends. Among those present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Campbell of Morrisville, Mr. and Mrs. Hobson of Island Pond, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Lang, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hutchins, Mrs. A. A. Larabee, Mrs. M. H. Brunton and Mrs. F. G. Burdick of Barton.

C. W. K.

last week. A bountiful dinner was served, after which Miss Alice E. Foster of Newport Center sang a solo, Mrs. E. I. Bryant called the roll, the members present responding and many of those absent sending letters, which were read. Deacon E. I. Bryant read a tribute to the late Dea. P. S. Hitchcock. Remarks were made by Rev. Vance of Irasburg, Rev. L. E. Taylor and Rev. C. C. Claris. A very pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

HOLLAND

Little Frances Kelley has been visiting her uncle in Derby the past week.

There have been nine deaths and seventeen births in town the past year.

Grace Gibson from Fitchburg, Mass., has returned home after spending several weeks in town.

Mr. Gould and Mr. Parsons from Colebrook, N. H., have been in town the past week buying cows.

Harold Gray and Miss Gladys Farr were married at the home of Geo. Gray, by the Rev. E. B. Harris, Wednesday. Congratulations.

A large number of friends and relatives gathered at the home of B. J. Farr's to celebrate their 20th anniversary, over 100 were present and a very pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

DEMICK'S MILL

Ray E. Ames is very low at this writing.

J. A. Bradford of Derby was a visitor in town recently.

George T. Ames of Derby Line spent several days in town last week.

L. W. Howard of White River Junction visited in town last week.